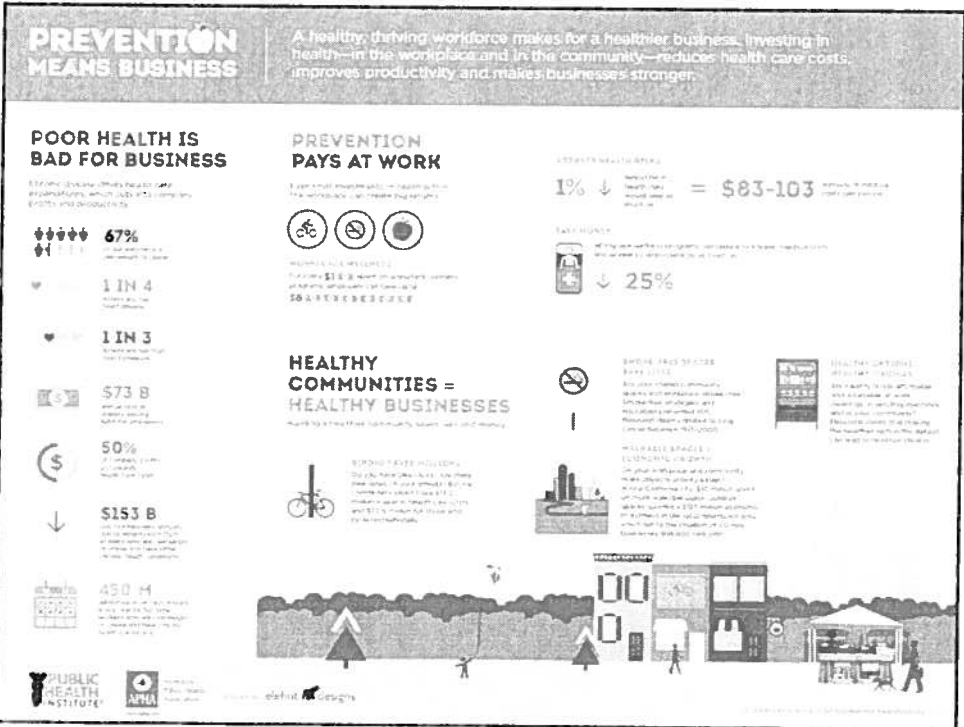


## PROJECT OVERVIEW

- ◎ Barry-Eaton District Health Department (BEDHD) partnered with local Chambers of Commerce (Barry County & Grand Ledge-Eaton County).
- ◎ The purpose was to raise awareness about County Health Rankings (CHR) and Roadmaps.
- ◎ The Health Rankings Project complemented BEDHD's Community Outreach project.



## LOCAL SUCCESSES

- ◎ Health Department-
  - Healthy snack cupboard
  - Exercise equipment
- ◎ Hayes Green Beech Hospital
  - Stairwell Makeover
- ◎ Middleville
  - Tobacco free parks
- ◎ Hastings
  - Riverwalk signage
- ◎ Pennock Health Services
  - Healthy Vending

## AUDIENCE INTERACTION

- ◎ Participants were encouraged to brainstorm health policy or environmental changes they could institute at their place of work.
- ◎ Costs and benefits about health policy development and implementation were discussed.

## **MOST SIGNIFICANT OUTCOMES**

Participants were asked to come up with ideas for a health policy or environmental change to be implemented within their business or organization.

- ◎ Participants actively participated in this part and many left with an action plan in mind.
- ◎ A local restaurant sponsored a luncheon while highlighting their new healthy choices menu.
- ◎ A restaurant Manager served the food, ended up participating in the presentation, and came up with an idea to take back to his restaurant to provide healthy choices at their once-a-month, free employee dinner.

## **SUMMARY AND RESOURCES**

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